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06                   UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
07                   WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
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09                   UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,                 )  
10                   Plaintiff,                                      )  
11                   v.    ) Case No. CR08-119 RSL  
12                   QUYEN THE NGUYEN,                          ) DETENTION ORDER  
13                   Defendant.                                  )  
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15                   Offenses charged:

16                   Count 1:           Conspiracy to Manufacture Marijuana, in violation of Title 21 U.S.C. §§  
17                   841(a)(1), 841(b)(1)(A), and 846.

18                   Count 2:           Conspiracy to Engage in Money Laundering, in violation of 18 U.S.C. §  
19                   1956(h).

20                   Date of Detention Hearing:   April 28, 2008

21                   The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and  
22 based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds  
23 the following:

24                   **FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION**

25                   (1)           Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(e), there is a rebuttable presumption that defendant  
26 is a flight risk and a danger to the community based on the nature of the pending charges.  
Application of the presumption is appropriate in this case.

(2)           Defendant is facing charges, if convicted, with a mandatory minimum of ten years

01 up to life.

02 (3) An immigration detainer has been placed on defendant by the United States  
03 Immigration and Customs Enforcement.

04 (4) Defendant has no ties in the Western District of Washington or to this community.

05 (5) Defendant's family is in Canada.

06 (6) Defendant has little incentive to return to make his required court appearances.

07 (7) Defendant is considered a risk flight.

08 (8) There are no conditions or combination of conditions other than detention that will  
09 reasonably assure the appearance of defendant as required.

10 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

11 (1) Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the  
12 Attorney General for confinement in a correctional facility separate, to the extent practicable, from  
13 persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody pending appeal;

14 (2) Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with  
15 counsel;

16 (3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the  
17 government, the person in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is confined shall  
18 deliver the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection  
19 with a court proceeding; and

20 (4) The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to  
21 counsel for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United States Pretrial Services  
22 Officer.

23 DATED this 28th day of April, 2008.

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25 JAMES P. DONOHUE  
26 United States Magistrate Judge